TABLE 6 UNMANUFACTURED TOBACCO: U.S. MONTHLY IMPORTS CALENDAR YEARS 1998, 1999, AND 2000 (THOUSAND DOLLARS)

Month	Consumption			General		
	1998	1999	2000	1998	1999	2000
January	117,810	89,843	46,618	72,926	68,625	56,094
February	80,590	54,452	74,590	54,435	52,536	46,934
March	51,891	65,634	45,849	64,652	66,033	36,755
April	67,429	55,430	24,672	123,266	54,842	33,797
May	27,608	25,119	55,784	67,292	50,827	39,535
June	17,593	128,795	98,963	77,718	51,413	61,250
July	89,664	24,047	34,986	67,449	58,727	35,904
August	76,450	54,548		63,770	66,289	
September	65,005	67,150		65,041	82,688	
October	78,221	25,352		55,342	44,643	
November	24,654	24,964		38,065	63,874	
March	73,950	95,880		29,721	92,886	
SUB-TOTAL	452,585	443,320	381,462	527,738	403,003	310,269
YEAR TOTAL	770,865	711,214	381,462	779,677	753,383	310,269

NOTE: DUE TO DATA AGGREGATION, ROUNDING ERRORS MAY OCCUR.

SOURCE: COMPILED FROM BUREAU OF CENSUS RECORDS.

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